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FORM TA-2

FORM FOR REPORTING ACTIVITIES OF TRANSFER AGENTS REGISTERED PURSUANT TO SECTION 17A OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

		ATTENTIO	N: INT	ENTIONAL MISSTATEMENTS OR OMISS CONSTITUTE FEDERAL CRIMINAL VIC See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 7	LATIONS.
Full (Do	name of Registron	rant as stated i A-2 to change	n Questio name or a	n 3 of Form TA-1: address.)	COME I SUM
	AIM Investmer	nt Services J	nc.		
а.	During the rep (Check approp		has the R	egistrant engaged a service company to pe.	rform any of its transfer agent functions?
b.	If the answer to (ies) engaged.	o subsection (a) is all or	some, provide the name(s) and transfer ag	ent file number(s) of all service company
		Name:	elikki kiri kiri in an Albakapayayayay kiri karana marka	File No. (beginning with 84- or 85-);
		Merrill Lynch, Fenner and S		84-00820	
		Primerica Sha Services	reholder	84-01499 PROCESSE	
				APR 2 0 200 4	
				THOMSON FINANCIAL	
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c.	During the repo transfer agent f		as the Reg	gistrant been engaged as a service compan	y by a named transfer agent to perform
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d.	If the answer to Registrant has complete and a	been engaged	as a servi	rovide the name(s) and file number(s) of the ce company to perform transfer agent funct Form TA-2.)	ne named transfer agent(s) for which the cions: (If more room is required, please
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b.	During the reporting period, has the Registrant amended Form TA-1 within 60 calendar days following the date on which information reported therein became inaccurate, incomplete, or misleading? (Check appropriate box.)												
c.	✓ Yes, filed amendment(s)☐ No, failed to file amendment(s)☐ Not applicable												
	If the answer to subsection (b) is no, provide an explanation.												
		ie response to an				ow is no	one or zero	, enter	" 0. "				
Nu	umber of items received	d for transfer during	g the report	ing per	iod:		.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	**********	1,562,6	98			
a.	Total number of ind reinvestment plans												
b. Number of individual securityholder dividend reinvestment plan and/or direct purchase plan acci 31:5,954,487					accounts as o	f December							
c.	Number of individua	al securityholder Di	RS accounts	as of (Decemb	er 1:	*************		•				
d.	d. Approximate percentage of individual securityholder accounts from subsection (a) in the following categories December 31: *Other Securities limited to Municipal Fund Securities (529 College Savings Plan)												
	December 31. Ou	Her Seconnies milita				TICICS (32	-3 conege 5		iaii)				
	December 31. For	Corporate Equity	Corporate Debt Securities	Com	i-End tment pany	Limited	d hip Municip		Other Securities				
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3. a. Registrant's appropriate regulatory agency. (Check one box only.)

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	b.	Number of issues for which DRS services were provided, as of December 31:								
c. Dividend disbursement and interest paying agent activities conducted during the reporting i. number of issues							riod:			
		ii. amount (in dollars)		<u>\$1,208,484,046.16</u>						
8.	a.	a. Number and aggregate market value of securities aged record differences, existing for more than 30 days, as of December 31:								
					Prior Transfer Agent (If applicable)	Current Transfer Agent				
		;*************************************	i.	Number of issues		grimmin raugu ga jasti risii risii kiriiki kiriin ka				
		pro-	ìi.	Market value (in dollars)						
	b.	Number of quarterly reports regarding buy-ins filed by the Registrant with its ARA (including the SEC) during the reporting period pursuant to Rule 17Ad-11(c)(2):								
	c.	During the reporting period SEC) required by Rule 17A				ing buy-ins with	its ARA (including the			
				⊠ Yes [] NO					
	d.	If the answers to subsection (c) is no, provide an explanation for each failure to file.								
										
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					***************************************	onders.				
										
9.	a.	forth in Rule 17Ad-2?	n compliance wit	n the turnaround	d time for routine items as se					
				⊠ Ye	s 🗌 No					
	If the answer to subsection (a) is no, complete subsections (i) through (ii).									
	 Provide the number of months during the reporting period in which the Registrant was not in complia with the turnaround time for routine items according to Rule 17Ad-2 									
ii. Provide the number of written notices Registrant filed during the reporting period with the ARA that reported its noncompliance with turnaround time for routine items according to R 2										
10.				company securities purchases a ed during the reporting period:	nd redemptions	("transactions")	excluding dividend, interest			
	a.	a. Total number of transactions processed: <u>21,604,408</u>								
	b.	Number of transactions p	roce	essed on a date other than date	of receipt of ord	er ("as ofs"):	3,452,997			

7. Scope of certain additional types of activities performed:

9.

11. a. During the reporting period, provide the date of all database searches conducted for lost securityholder accounts listed on the transfer agent's master securityholder files, the number of lost securityholder accounts for which a database search has been conducted, and the number of lost securityholder accounts for which a different address has been obtained as a result of a database search.

Date of Database Search	Number of Lost Securityholder Accounts Submitted for Database Search	Number of Different Addresses Obtained from Database Search
	0	0
	0	0
	0	0
	0	0
	0	0
	0	0
	14,288	6,205
	0	0
	0	0
	0	0
November	0	0
December	12,411	4,779

b.	Number of lost security	yholder accounts that have been	remitted to states during th	e reportina period:669

SIGNATURE: The Registrant submitting this Form, and the person signing the Form, hereby represent that all the information contained in the Form is true, correct, and complete.

Manual signature of Official responsible for Form:	Title: Senior Vice President
Robert a. Frazer	Telephone number: (713) 214-4590
Name of Official responsible for Form: (First name, Middle name, Last name) Robert A. Frazer	Date signed (Month/Day/Year): rch/23/004